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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: NATO, PFOR, BG

SUBJECT: SOVIET V-E DAY CELEBRATIONS

REF: STATE 069945

1. DRAWING ON REFTTEL, I HAVE CONSULTED WITH FRG AMBASSADOR RITTER AND BRITISH HIGH COMMISSIONER SMALLMAN ABOUT JOINT INVITATION WE HAVE ALL RECEIVED FROM SOVIET, GDR AND CZECH AMBASSADORS TO ATTEND RECEPTION AT HOTEL INTERCONTINENTAL MAY 9 "ON THE OCCASION OF THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEFEAT OF HITLERITE FASCISM AND THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE LIBERATION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND GERMANY FROM FASCISM." SMALLMAN SAID THAT HE HAD RECEIVED GUIDANCE SIMILAR TO MINE.

2. RITTER SAID THAT HE HAD CABLED BONN FOR INSTRUCTIONS, PROVIDING HIS FOREIGN MINISTRY WITH DETAILS OF INVITATION AND POINTING OUT HE ENJOYED CORDIAL RELATIONS WITH BOTH SOVIET AND CZECH AMBASSADORS HERE AND THAT SOVIET AMBASSADOR HAD SOUGHT HIM OUT TO ASSURE HIM THAT INVITATION WAS NOT DIRECTED AGAINST FRG. HE SAID HE HAD NOT YET RECEIVED REPLY.

3. SMALLMAN AND I AGREED THAT WE WOULD REPORT ABOVE  
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TO WASHINGTON AND LONDON AND WOULD SUGGEST THAT,

UNLESS INSTRUCTED OTHERWISE, WE WOULD FOLLOW OUR FRG  
COLLEAGUE'S LEAD.  
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